

## Prices and Prospects.

### SPOT COKE MARKET REGISTERS DECLINE OF 50 CENTS PER TON

Standard Furnace \$7.50-\$8.00;  
"Off Grades" \$1 Less;  
Foundry \$1 More.

### BETTER MARGIN IN COAL

Producers and Consumers Unable to  
Get Together on Contracts for First  
Half of Next Year; May Finally Deal  
on a Flat Instead of a Ratio Basis.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 1.—Since last report spot and prompt furnace coke has sold at a wide range of prices owing to the forcing on the market of some cokes of a quality well below standard, such coke going at \$6.50 and \$7.00 while standard quality has brought \$7.50 and \$8.00. A decline of 50 cents in the regular spot market is represented, as no cases are found of standard coke having sold at less than \$7.50. Even that price was not done until this week, and the trade attributed the showing of \$6.50 this week to the fact that a purchase of 100 carloads was made by an eastern furnace last Friday at only \$6.50, when it had been thought that such a round lot would bring at least \$8.50. The market a week ago was nearer \$8.50 than \$8.00 as while \$8.50 had been done the figure obtained only in small lots, purchasers of any tonnage having had to pay \$8.50.

With the decrease that has occurred in merchant coke production the market would probably have held at the level maintained for two or three weeks but for two factors, one being that the demand in the spot market has been very light while the other was that some operators had held their coke too long, expecting the development of a better market. There has now been a sort of clean-up and the market may be steadier in future. Foundry coke, with rather a light demand, has continued to decline in order to reach a normal relation with furnace coke, and the formerly recognized differential of \$1.00 a ton is now established again. The spot market for regular grades is now as follows:

Furnace	\$7.50-\$8.00
Foundry	\$8.50-\$9.00

The spot coke market has been greatly aided by the fact that a number of operators have such grades of coal, and such coal loading facilities, that they can sell their coal to advantage for by-product and gas purposes when they cannot get \$8.50 or higher for coke. For several weeks past most operators have had a better margin by selling their coal than they would have had if they had converted the coal into coke and sold the coke at the full price obtainable from time to time for spot coke.

Coke operators and furnacemen are still indisposed to get together in the matter of making contracts for the first half of the new year. The price views are far apart and the furnacemen are proceeding on the theory that the lapse of time and the progress of the decline in pig iron will cause the coke operators eventually to consider lower prices for coke than they now have in mind. The coke operators seem quite willing to try this out, believing that the backing they now have in the coal market will continue. The operators insist that the price the furnacemen have in mind would represent less than actual equivalent value of coal, i. e., less than one and one-half times the market price of a ton of coal plus the cost of making the coal into coke.

There is much talk about ratios in connection with first half contracts, but as has sometimes occurred in the past, the hangers and sellers may talk a great deal about ratios and then wind up by dealing on a flat price basis. Furnacemen seem unwilling to consider anything higher than five to one for coke, against basic pig iron at Valley furnaces, while operators will not consider that ratio, except that one contract was made about a month ago on this ratio. Operators have talked four to one but would probably recede somewhat from that position. While the making of coke contracts is delayed the pig iron market continues to recede. Yesterday there were furnace offerings of Bessemer pig iron at \$35, Valley, and of basic iron at \$33. Valley, recording declines of \$2.50 and \$2 in the respective markets. At five to one the \$35 price would not the coke operator only \$6.60 for his coke, which would hardly satisfy operators in the present mood, and the market is practically certain to decline further, even before the half year begins. It seems probable, however, that while basic pig iron has declined \$15.50 in two months it will not decline with any rapidity in the next few months. No one seems to doubt that eventually it will decline below \$30, but that price might not be reached by April, or the middle of the half year.

Foundry iron was offered last week at \$37. Yesterday, or \$2 decline, and with basic already down to \$32 it is expected that the next immediate inquiry for foundry iron will bring out further reductions. The market is now quotable as follows:

Bessemer	\$35.00
Basic	\$32.00
Foundry	\$37.00

These prices are for P. O. B. Valley furnaces, freight to Connellsville being \$1.95.

Demand for pig iron is almost wholly absent and there is no expectation

## Review of the Connellsville Coke Trade.

### Statistical Summary.

PRODUCTION.	WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 27, 1920.	WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 20, 1920.
DISTRICT.	Ovens	Ovens
Connellsville	18,727	18,387
Lower Connellsville	17,100	16,220
Totals	35,827	34,607
FURNACE OVENS.	Ovens	Ovens
Connellsville	15,470	14,160
Lower Connellsville	6,586	3,572
Totals	22,056	17,732
MERCHANT OVENS.	Ovens	Ovens
Connellsville	8,257	2,018
Lower Connellsville	10,114	6,548
Totals	18,371	8,566

### WILL CAR SHORTAGE RELIEVE DEALERS IN COKE FROM DAMAGES

Is a Question to Be Settled by  
the United States Supreme Court.

### COAL OUTPUT AGAIN BELOW THE 12,000,000 TONS PER WEEK MARK

Decrease from Last Full-Week Week Is  
687,000 Tons; Total 57,000,000 Tons  
Behind 1918.

### PRODUCERS VS. M'KEEFREY

Case Before Highest Tribunal on Petition  
For a Writ of Certiorari; Verdict  
and Judgment Against Coke  
Co. Affirmed by the Court of Appeals.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—A suit the outcome of which will be of great interest to coal and coke dealers has been brought before the United States Supreme Court with the filing of a petition for a writ of certiorari by the Producers Coke company of Uniontown, for the purpose of having the action originally instituted by the company against the McKee Iron company reviewed by the highest tribunal.

The particular interest of dealers in this suit hinges upon the decision the court may make as to whether or not car shortages will act to relieve dealers in coke from damages for failure to make deliveries of coke to a consumer as and when the contract of sale specifies.

The Producers Coke company, which is the selling agent of a number of coke producers and a dealer generally in coal and coke, entered into three contracts with the McKee Iron company for certain deliveries of coke, each contract containing the following clause:

"It is understood and agreed that if there should be a shortage of cars, shipments shall be divided from time to time in fair proportion on all orders."

During a portion of the time these contracts were in effect a car shortage varying in intensity from day to day developed, and the coke company did not make the full shipment specified by the contracts. Subsequently the iron company entered suit for damages for non-performance of the contract, taking the position that the coke company, being a dealer and not a producer of coke, had the entire Connellsville region from which to draw a supply of coke sufficient to meet the requirements of its contracts.

The iron company therefore contended that the coke company was not excused from the full performance of its contracts by reason of a car shortage, unless such shortage made it reasonably impossible for the company to purchase the quantity of coke required.

In defense the coke company set up these contentions: First, that there was a real car shortage and that, on account thereof, the iron company had received all the coke to which it was entitled under the clause of the contracts relating to car supply; second, that the obligation was upon the railroad company, not upon the coke company, to furnish cars; and third, that the iron company waived its rights to damages by voluntary payments for the coke that was shipped.

It was further contended that, irrespective of its ability to purchase coke, or of the actual amount of coke which it had actually shipped and had on hand for shipment, the coke company was only required, under its contract, to ship a percentage of the amounts specified therein equal to the average percentage of car supply of all the common carriers serving the Connellsville region.

Combating these contentions the iron company held that the coke company sold large quantities of coke on spot sales at "enormous prices," and at the same time advised its customers with whom it had made contracts prior to the car shortage that, by reason of the car shortage, it could not fulfill their contracts.

The district court before which the case was tried held that it was the duty of the coke company to apply all of the coke which it actually purchased and received "in fair proportion on all orders," and that "orders" did not include the so-called "spot sales," that is, sales for immediate delivery, made from day to day, after the car shortage had developed.

## Production and Output

### PRODUCERS VIEWING SITUATION CALMLY, BUT NOT INDIFFERENTLY

While the General Readjustment of Industry Continues to Progress.

### WILD BREAKS PREVENTED

And Market Kept Free of a Coke Flood By Adherence to the Policy of Hold Line Production Within Limits of Demand; Danger Lapse of Cost Soared.

The attitude of the coke producers with respect to the trade situation cannot be said to be one of indifference, but it is perhaps more correct to say that they have taken a calm, philosophical view. Aware as they are of the readjustment that is in progress it is no part of their purpose or plans to resist the process but to go along, meantime retaining such a grasp upon the situation as will best conserve the interests of the industry as a whole.

For this reason they early adopted, and have since steadfastly pursued, the policy of preventing over production while at the same time striving to adequately meet the needs of consumers and the changing conditions of the market. In these respects the efforts have been successful. There has been no wild break in the market, notwithstanding the very considerable drop from the high to present range. The market has not been flooded with coke but in an orderly and well regulated way the region has adapted itself to the changes while at the same time maintaining its equilibrium, being positioned to further expand or increase output on short notice according as conditions may require.

While the price for spot coke has been approaching the present level of \$7.50 to \$8.00 even activity has been supplanted by larger shipments of raw coal. As the ratio between coke and coal prices has been successively disturbed the tendency has been to still further widen coke production and, where possible, to increase coal shipments. As the margin between coke and coal lessens, and the price of coal falls off, there is a greater approach to the dead line of production costs. The present close proximity of the two is creating no alarm. Instead, the producers are viewing the situation with equanimity, having reached the conclusion that when the margin between cost of production and realized price ceases to be discernible, they will derive more profit from allowing their coal to remain unmined and uncooked than from shipping it in either its raw or manufactured state.

Largely because of this attitude the coke region continues to go along quietly from week to week undisturbed by the prospect of still further reduction in price or lessening of demand, and without material change in operating conditions. Last week the production showed a gain of 12,000 tons, but all at the plants of the furnace interests, merchant production showing practically the same as during the preceding week. With more furnace going out of blast, and iron and steel demand showing no betterment, the prospects are that a further curtailment in coke production will take place this week. The softening of the coal market to \$25.00 a ton has to some extent had its effect, in so far as the loss in the price of spot coke having been 50 cents since the last report of the trade. At the same time of the year there always exists the possibility of a sudden and severe cold snap to stimulate the fuel trade, in which case coke is a beneficiary as well as coal. But viewing the situation broadly, and disregarding local or incidental influences, it appears to the best informed observers that the trade is due for a more or less featureless period while the general readjustment of industry is in progress.

The estimated production of coke during the week ended Saturday, November 27, was 232,121 tons, credited to the two districts in the following proportions: Connellsville, 120,114 tons; Lower Connellsville, 112,007 tons, or a net gain of 12,000 tons, or an average of 31.00 tons per day during the week preceding.

By interests the production was: Furnace, 137,884 tons; Merchant, 94,237 tons, a total of 232,121 tons during the week ended November 27.

There was a reduction of \$5 in the number of ovens in blast, 65 in the furnace and 19 by the merchant interests. The 50 active ovens at the Martin plant were known last week.

R. A. O. Breaks Record. In the days between July 24 and October 25 the Baltimore & Ohio railroad hauled 31,111,274 tons, or an average of 31,100 tons per day. The best previous average was 27,700 tons per day.

On November 1 the total of all cars on home lines was estimated at 113 per cent, a gain of 1.34 per cent, or 2,000 cars, compared with the total on October 1.

Coal Shortage in France. Interfering seriously with the re-establishment of industrial activities there on a sound basis.

"Jimmy" Reed's Successor. Elmer Evans has become conducting on the Johnstown-Rockwood Baltimore & Ohio passenger train which has been taken care of by extra conductors since the death of Captain James B. Reed. Mr. Evans, like his predecessor, Captain Reed, went to the Somerset & Cambria from main line trains Nos. 5 and 6.

Former Heads  
CRUCIBLE STEEL  
ARE INDICTED

Conspiracy to Defraud Government of Income Taxes Charged.

MILLIONS ARE INVOLVED

Underlying Companies Named Include Halcumb Steel, Crucible Steel & Milling, Crucible Coal, Crucible Fuel and 10 Connecting Railroads.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 1.—A federal grand jury here today returned indictments against Herbert DuPuy, former president and chairman of the board of directors of the Crucible Steel company of America and George A. Turville, former vice president and secretary-treasurer, charging them with conspiring to defraud the government out of income and excess profit taxes said to amount to several million dollars.

Underlying companies of the Crucible Steel company of America mentioned in the indictment are the Halcumb Steel company, Crucible Steel Milling & Milling company, Hudson Railroad & Transportation company, 10 connecting railroad companies, Crucible Steel company, Crucible Coal company, Crucible Fuel company and the Midland Improvement company.

COKE PRODUCTION

In Connellsville and Lower Connellsville Districts Compared With 1919.

The estimated production of coke in not tons in the Connellsville and Lower Connellsville districts, by weeks, with the total compared with the corresponding week of 1919, is shown in the following:

Week	Merch.	Furn.	Total	1919
Jan. 1-3	49,808	49,283	99,091	166,328
Jan. 4-6	35,816	44,874	80,690	271,354
Jan. 7-9	44,874	168,829	213,703	281,242
Jan. 10-12	24,426	161,136	185,562	277,324
Jan. 13-15	97,929	144,616	242,545	262,444
Jan. 16-18	97,929	144,616	242,545	262,444
Jan. 19-21	97,929	144,616	242,545	262,444
Jan. 22-24	97,929	144,616	242,545	262,444
Jan. 25-27	97,929	144,616	242,545	262,444
Jan. 28-30	97,929	144,616	242,545	262,444
Feb. 1-3	100,450	144,616	245,066	262,444
Feb. 4-6	100,450	144,616	245,066	262,444
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Feb. 28-Mar. 1	100,450	144,616	245,066	262,444
Mar. 2-4	100,450	144,616	245,066	262,444
Mar. 5-7	100,450	144,616	245,066	262,444
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Nov. 2-4	100,450	144,616		

## STATE'S INDUSTRIAL OUTPUT FOR 1919 FALLS OVER A HALF BILLION BELOW THAT OF 1918

Return to Peace-time Conditions Responsible For Tremendous Slump.  
GAIN OVER 1916 RECORDED

HARRISBURG, Nov. 23.—With the return of Pennsylvania's thousands of industrial peace-time working conditions the value of industrial production in the state fell a total of \$550,000,000 in one year, according to reports submitted today to Secretary of Internal Affairs James F. Woodward by Mr. Hoke Gottschall, chief of the bureau of statistics and information of the Pennsylvania Department of Internal Affairs. Mr. Gottschall's report showed that during the year 1919, the value of industrial production in the state was \$3,855,500. In 1918, when all records for production valuation in the Keystone state were broken and industrial Pennsylvania turned almost exclusively to the making of war materials and other manufactures necessary for the successful prosecution of the war, the value of the products turned out was \$4,405,500. In 1917 production in Pennsylvania was worth \$3,336,984,800 and in 1916 it totaled \$6,419,416,000 so that the records show that with the exception of the great year of 1918, the year 1919 led all others in industrial valuation.

Inasmuch as the years 1917 and 1918 were abnormal years in industry, Secretary Woodward and Mr. Gottschall agreed that comparisons with 1919 should be made with the year 1916, considering both of these years as fairly normal years. On this basis, the figures show that the value of Pennsylvania's industrial output in 1919 was 38 per cent more than in 1916. However, although there was a gigantic increase in the value of production, there is no way of judging whether the volume of production was any greater, because it is a well known fact that prices of practically everything in 1919 were considerably higher than in 1916.

The great production value figure for 1919 was attained with less industrial plants, a lesser number of days worked, fewer employees and less invested capital than in any of the other years, with the exception of 1917, when capital was somewhat larger than it was last year. In the amount of wages paid employees, 1918, of course, proved to be the high water mark but records show that the total wages paid last year amounted to over 45 per cent more than the amount paid in 1916, notwithstanding that the number of employees was decreased in 1919. Last year there was a total of 20,888 industrial plants, reporting to the statistical bureau. In 1918 there were 20,861, in 1917, 22,103, and in 1916, 21,158. Industrial establishments in the state last year worked an average of 275 days, 10 days less than in either 1917 or 1918 and 12 days less than in 1916. The industrial plants of the state in 1919 gave employment to 1,523,609 workers, or 12 per cent less than the number in 1916 when 1,735,543 were employed. In 1917 there were 1,802,813 industrial workers in Pennsylvania and in 1918 the payroll of the great mass of industrial plants carried the names of 1,827,101 employees. Of the persons employed in industry last year, 1,019,830 were Americans, white, six per cent less than the same class of employees in 1916. In 1919 there were 52,768 Americans, colored, engaged in industrial occupations, or 52 per cent more than in 1916. Figures for 1919 show the employment of 451,011 foreigners or 28 per cent less than the number employed in 1916. In 1918, the banner year for employment in Pennsylvania, there were employed in the various industries, 1,224,113 Americans, white; 56,379 Americans, colored; and 546,809 foreigners; these figures showing a great decrease in the various classes of labor last year when compared with 1918, the falling off of the foreigners alone amounting to 95,598.

Of the persons employed in industry in 1919, 1,300,846 were males and 222,763 were females. In 1918 there were 1,321,571 males and 212,972 females; employed while in 1916 there were 1,586,344 males and 240,757 females.

Within the great army of workers in Pennsylvania last year there were 10,668 boys and 10,669 girls, under the age of 16 years and who were accordingly classed as minors. In 1916 there were 10,229 boys and 9,069 girls, under the age of 16 years, while in 1918 there were 14,231 minor boys and 10,963 minor girls.

Pennsylvania's industrial workers in 1919 were paid a total wage of \$1,861,427,100 of which \$1,730,094,100 was paid to male workers and \$134,333,000 for female labor. In 1916, with 211,934 more employees than in 1919, the total industrial payroll for the year was \$1,280,604,200. In 1918, with 303,492 more employees than in 1919 the payroll totaled \$2,217,272,900. In 1917 there were 1,802,813 employees paid a total wage of \$1,620,038,200. In 1917 there were 279,204 more employees than in 1919 but the wage paid last year was \$334,788,300 more than was paid in 1917.

In 1919 industrial establishments in Pennsylvania represented a total investment of \$6,075,581,909, while in 1916 the capital invested totaled \$5,045,915,700. In 1917 the capital was \$5,026,789,500 and in 1918 it was \$5,514,512,000.

The Plate Mill Co., CUMBERLAND, Md., Nov. 29.—With the close of the last turn Saturday the tin plate mill of the N. & G. Taylor company here suspended for an indefinite period due to lack of demand for its product. Seven hundred employees were made idle by the suspension.

## SLUMP IN FREIGHT TRAFFIC NOW BEGUN, LIKELY TO BE RAPID

Decline Is Expected as the Accumulations of Spring and Summer Are Moved; New Offerings Light.

With revenue freight loading of the railroads down more than 62,000 cars in the week ended November 6, railroad officials concede that the bottom has dropped out of the freight business and from now on the decline in freight loading will be rapid and continuous. Freight accumulated as a result of the spring and summer railroad strikes has been moved, and new offerings are light. A further mark of decreasing business is the large increase in the volume of less-carload freight. This is an indication that what buying is being done is in smaller lots than formerly.

In the week ended November 6 the railroads loaded 910,592 cars of revenue freight of all kinds, compared with 973,120 cars in the first week preceding and 1,010,981 cars the second week preceding. In the corresponding week of 1919 the unloading was 826,724 cars and in the same week of 1918 it was 873,854 cars. For coke, however, the week ended November 6 was a record-breaker. 18,314 cars being loaded. In the same week of 1919 only 11,943 cars, or 6,871 fewer, were loaded. The previous high record for coke loading in 1920 was 16,498 cars in the week ended October 22.

Ore loading in the week ended November 6 was 57,938 cars, against 31,226 in the same week of 1919; coal loading was 202,607 cars, against 112,117 cars one year ago.

## B. & O. REVENUES FOR OCTOBER SHOW BIG GAIN OVER 1919

Difference Is Over \$4,000,000, Says the Company's Statement; Expenses Are Also Higher.

Operating revenues of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad company increased \$6,097,526 49 in October, as compared with the month of October in 1919, while the operating expenses were \$5,688,298 47 greater, according to a statement issued by the company showing the following:

Operating Revenues.  
Freight, \$20,614,952 32; increase, \$5,527,858 14.  
Passenger, \$3,986,462 35; increase, \$654,820 48.  
Mail, \$233,612 17; increase, \$170,835 45.

Express, \$203,048 53; decrease, \$442,660 88.

All other transportation, \$313,328 57; increase, \$105,399 10.

Incidental, \$590,579 85; increase, \$96,646 12.

Joint facility—credit, \$23,427 64; decrease, \$5,553 82.

Joint facility—debit, \$10,017 61; decrease, \$6,518 11.

Total operating revenues, \$25,015,394 82; increase, \$6,097,526 49.

Operating Expenses.  
Maintenance of way and structures, \$3,045,010 73; increase, \$623,717 37.

Maintenance of equipment, \$6,000,369 20; increase, \$1,096,289 41.

Traffic, \$233,598 36; increase, \$87,504 10.

Transportation, \$11,124,014 02; increase, \$3,642,284 12.

Miscellaneous, \$156,551 61; increase, \$46,076 05.

General, \$541,866 59; increase, \$182,958 25.

Transportation for investment—credit, \$487 16.

Railway operating expenses, \$21,101,400 50; increase, \$5,988,296 47.

Income Items.  
Net revenue from railway operation, \$3,913,994 32; increase, \$409,330 02.

Railway tax accruals, \$541,616 08; increase, \$77,183 21.

Uncollectible railway revenues, \$4,410 65; increase, \$1,555 89.

Railway operating income, \$3,387,667 61; increase, \$330,591 52.

Equipment rents, \$382,318 70; decrease, \$1,102,674 13.

Joint facility rent, \$104,366 50; increase, \$83,439 83.

Net income, \$2,887,282 41; increase, \$1,349,825 82.

## HILLMANS ADD TO COAL HOLDINGS IN GREENE COUNTY

Purchase of 288 Acres of Sayers Estate Just Outside of Waynesburg Is Announced.

Hillman interests of Pittsburgh are increasing their holdings of coal in Greene county, reports Tuesday telling of the purchase of a tract of 288 acres just outside Waynesburg from the Ezra Sayers estate.

The Hillmans bought approximately 1,000 acres in that section some a month ago and it is believed that the new purchase rounds out a tract sought by the Pittsburgh people.

Mr. Hillman paid approximately \$300 an acre for the 1,000 acre tract, considered an unusually good price.

Thompson Make Sale.  
Acting for the Piedmont Coal company and Uniontown parties J. V. Thompson has sold 15,000 acres of Pittsburgh coal in Marshall county, W. Va., to the Lora Coal Dock company of Cleveland. The consideration was reported to be \$1,500,000.

Don't Want Immigrants.  
It is said that city officials of Detroit, Akron and other centers of the automobile and allied industries have asked the U. S. land authorities not to send any more immigrants as it would only add to the unemployment.

## LIST OF COKE OVENS IN THE CONNELLSVILLE DISTRICT

With Their Owners, Address and Ovens in Blast Corrected to Saturday, December 27, 1920.

Ovens	In Works	Name of Operators	Address
MERCHANT OVENS			
132	132	Beatty.....	Mt. Pleasant Coke Co. .... Greensburg
30	29	Brush Run.....	Brush Run Coke Company, .. Mt. Pleasant
150	150	Clare.....	Clare Coke Co. .... Greensburg
150	60	Ellen No. 2.....	Wayne Coke Co. .... Uniontown
150	150	Ellen Grove.....	W. J. Rainey, Inc. .... New York
30	10	Fort Hill.....	W. J. Rainey, Inc. .... New York
101	101	Franklin.....	Summit-Coke Coke Co. .... Connellsville
101	51	Gilmore.....	Gilmore Coke Co. .... Uniontown
30	30	Grice.....	Corrado-Schank Coke Co. .... Connellsville
5	5	Helen.....	Samuel L. Lohr..... Youngwood
132	145	Humphreys.....	Humphreys Coal & Coke Co. .... Greensburg
15	15	Morgan.....	Corrado-Schank Coke Co. .... Connellsville
150	150	W. J. Rainey.....	W. J. Rainey, Inc. .... New York
510	410	Mt. Pleasant.....	Mt. Pleasant Coke Co. .... Greensburg
3	23	Myers.....	Brownfield Coal & Coke Co. .... Uniontown
238	238	Nellis.....	Nellis Coke Co. .... Connellsville
238	238	Oliver & Snyder Steel Co., .....	Oliver & Snyder Steel Co., .. Pittsburgh
400	417	Oliver No. 2.....	Oliver & Snyder Steel Co. .... Pittsburgh
390	232	Oliver No. 3.....	Oliver & Snyder Steel Co. .... Pittsburgh
50	50	Paul.....	W. J. Rainey, Inc. .... New York
40	40	Nevers.....	Wayne Coke Co. .... Uniontown
40	40	Thomas.....	West Penn Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
57	34	West Penn.....	West Penn Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
3,257	3,213		
FURNACE OVENS			
250	250	Adelaide.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
250	250	Alverson.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
250	250	Baggley.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
250	250	Brinkerhoff.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
250	250	Buckey.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
250	176	Caumont.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
250	250	Central.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
250	250	Collier.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
250	403	Continental 1.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
246	246	Continental 2.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
250	250	Continental 3.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
120	120	Crossland.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
230	273	Davidson.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
230	230	Dorothy.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
113	113	Dunbar.....	Amel Mangano Mfg. Co. .... Dunbar
272	272	Hecia No. 1.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
300	300	Hecia No. 2.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
300	300	Hecia No. 3.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
250	250	Houlihan.....	Houlihan-Coke Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
243	243	Junata.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
202	306	Kyle.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
493	490	Leisenring 1.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
493	493	Leisenring 2.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
502	382	Leisenring 3.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
304	278	Leith.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
227	227	Lemont No. 1.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
250	250	Lemont No. 2.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
500	400	Mammoth.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
219	393	Marguerite.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
195	115	Muscat.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
248	248	Olyphant.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
400	400	Philips.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
443	320	Redstone.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
443	320	Shoemaker.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
150	150	Southwest 1.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
150	150	Southwest 2.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
200	130	Southwest 3.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
501	710	Stewart.....	Stewart Iron Co. .... Uniontown
154	250	Trotter.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
360	209	United.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
360	250	Whitney.....	Houlihan-Coke Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
306	227	Wynn.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
500	448	Yorkrun.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
245	245	Youngstown.....	H. C. Frick Coke Co. .... Pittsburgh
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## UNION SERVICE CONGREGATION AIDS ARMENIANS

Contribution of \$200 is Made  
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in Near East.

## EX-MISSIONARY SPEAKS

Connellsville citizens showed their own joy in Thanksgiving Day when they attended the union church services held in the morning at the Christian church and heard Miss Maria F. Jacobson of Denmark tell of the suffering and privations of the people of Armenia, the most scourged part of the world during the war and since, by contributing \$200 for Near East relief. Her talk was touching. The voice of the speaker was broken by sobs as she recalled the scenes in that stricken country, and tears filled the eyes of many in the church.

Miss Jacobson recited the tales of cruelty, privation, filth and want which she faced for 15 months while engaged as a relief worker in the Near East.

While she was in charge of 1,400 ill-clad children at Kharpout, she said, it was only possible to obtain black bread as food and the supply was very meagre.

At the close of her address a collection for the benefit of the unfortunate people of that nation was taken. Everyone contributed, and there was not a vacant seat in any of the pews.

Rev. J. E. Edwards, pastor of the First Baptist church, spoke of the "Christian Gratitude." He said that any gratitude which is connected to the selfish thankfulness for the fulfilling of our own desires is merely a thankfulness of "deceit." "Christian gratitude," he said, "is expressed when we feel a sense of gratitude for the opportunity afforded us to be of service, first to the individual, to the church, to the nation and, lastly, to the remainder of the world."

Rev. Edwards said he believed the Thanksgiving proclamation of President Wilson was one of the most Christian attitudes of the era, meaning of Thanksgiving he had ever heard. He recommended a study of the "wonderful words of the Lord's prayer, in which it must be noted that all the blessings asked for, temporal food, clothing and other things, were based upon the recognition of Divine goodness."

Members of the choir of the First Presbyterian and Christian churches rendered special music.

Rev. G. W. Buckner presided at the service. Rev. Dr. W. H. Hetrick made the opening prayer and Rev. J. S. Showers read the Thanksgiving proclamation of President Wilson.

Rev. E. W. Hutchinson conducted the responsive reading, and Rev. Irvin R. Fletcher led the prayer.

The sermon by Rev. Edwards served as introductory to the remarks of Miss Jacobson. The announcement for the offering was made by Rev. J. L. Proudfoot. Rev. J. O. Bishop pronounced the benediction.

## OFFICERS NAMED

Members of Legion Society Vote on Permanent Staff.

Permanent officers of the La Societe des 40 Hommes et 3 Chevaux, The American Legion, were elected at a meeting last week. The first initiation will be held in Maccafee hall on December 8. The "wedding crew" will report Friday evening for a rehearsal of the ceremony. All members of the American Legion in Fayette county are eligible for membership and the organization is expected to expand rapidly.

Permanent officers, elected were: Chief de Carr (president), Irving M. Snow; chef de train (vice president), Rev. E. A. Glennon; conductor (master of ceremonies), T. W. Scott; commissaire (secretary-treasurer), D. M. Schoff; corresponding secretary, C. F. Donnelly; sergeant at arms, Frank Sweney; Charles Yaw and Charles Carson; chemists (executive committee) F. D. Munson, C. A. McCormick and Thomas W. Scott; guard de la porte (sergeant-at-arms), D. M. Campbell; guard aux chevaux (special duty, not K. P.), J. E. Kaufman.

## MANY DONATIONS

Patients at Hospital Are Sent Many Thanksgiving Dishes.

Patients at the Cottage State hospital were the recipients of a number of gifts for their Thanksgiving dinner. Donations included many good things to eat from both individuals and firms.

Mrs. Grant Dull sent jelly and apples; a gallon of oranges was donated by First National bank; three gallons of ice cream was contributed by the Hagan Ice Cream company; McCormick's Meat market sent two turkeys; Attorney H. George May gave nuts, grapes, oranges, eggs and dates; Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Gies sent a half gallon of ice cream, and the Women's Christian Temperance Union sent a donation of towels.

Information Suppressed.

Information in the case of Albert L. Seaman and George Monahan of Connellsville, charged with surety of the place, was suppressed before Judge E. H. Reppert in Uniontown Tuesday morning. The transcript from the justice office did not show sufficient facts to bring the case within the jurisdiction of the court, it was contended.

Boy Struck By Auto.

Bennett McInnes, 11 years old, Dunbar, had his right arm badly bruised and his face lacerated when he was run down by a motor car driven by T. T. Meyer, Greensburg, Thanksgiving morning. He received treatment at the office of a Dunbar physician.

## MRS. L. M. HERRINGTON, FORMER LOCAL PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER, DIES

Was Wife of Former County Superintendent of Schools and Taught in Old Fourth Ward.

Mrs. Nora Shaw Herrington, 52 years old, wife of Dr. L. M. Herrington, of McKees Rocks, died Monday night, November 21, in the Allegheny General hospital, Pittsburgh, where she had been a patient since Sunday. News of Mrs. Herrington's death came as a great shock to her relatives and friends in Connellsville. She had been in poor health for the past several years but was able to be about. The nature of the illness causing her death had not been learned by relatives here.

Mrs. Herrington was born and reared in Connellsville, a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Shaw, pioneer residents of this place. She taught in the old Fourth ward schools, and will be remembered by her many pupils as Miss Nora Shaw. She was an efficient teacher and was especially popular among her pupils. She was married to Dr. Herrington, who at one time was superintendent of the Fayette county schools. Since leaving Uniontown Dr. and Mrs. Herrington resided in Pittsburgh and at McKees Rocks, being located at the latter place for a number of years. The deceased was one of the most prominent residents of McKees Rocks and was a member and active worker in the Presbyterian church there. She was esteemed and respected by her many friends in Connellsville.

In addition to her husband she is survived by the following: brother, Dr. and Mrs. William C. Herrington; Mrs. Sara, Dr. and Mrs. W. J. MacBeth, Dr. and Mrs. A. D. Shaw, Wilkinsburg, and Lewis Shaw, Placerville, Cal. Thomas S. Shaw, a brother of Mrs. Herrington, died three weeks ago at his home in Cadiz, Ky.

## D. A. R. DEPLORES UNPATRIOTIC KIND OF PROPAGANDA

Sease of Philip Freeman Chapter Expressed in Statement Prepared at Meeting.

Unpatriotic remarks directed against the President and the President-elect, having come to the ears of members of Philip Freeman Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, at a meeting Saturday, caused to be issued the following statement under the caption, "Americanism versus Propaganda."

"Americanism should be fostered in the minds of all American citizens. Immigrants receive their first lessons at the port of debarkation. Each year many of these people come to settle in our district and the work of Americanization should continue. Perhaps, like charity, a little of it should begin at home."

"How many American citizens speak loyalty of our President or President-elect? Is it propaganda or love of gospel which spreads so many untruths concerning the affairs of these great men?"

"Philip Freeman Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, feels it is the duty of every citizen to be loyal in this respect and help others who might not realize they are furthering propaganda."

## FENTON O. KEISTER LEAVES ESTATE OF ABOUT \$700,000

Widow of Scottville Man Given Home and One-fourth of Whole; Remainder to Children.

GREENSBURG, Nov. 23.—The will of Fenton O. Keister of Scottville has been probated. The estate is valued at \$700,000. It consists of real estate located in Westmoreland and Fayette counties, Charles H. Loucks and Donald C. Keister are the executors of the will.

Mrs. Lydia C. Keister, the widow, has been given the house in which she lives and one-fourth of the estate. The remainder of the estate has been bequeathed, one-fourth each, to Fenton O. Keister, Fenton O. Keister, Jr. and Rebecca C. Keister.

## DOG HAD RABIES

Son of J. H. Elbern, Bitten by Animal, Sent to Hospital.

The head of the dog which bit Ivan Elbern, three and one-half years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Elbern, showed signs of rabies, according to a report received here from a pastor in Philadelphia, to which it was sent. The dog attacked the child last Saturday, biting him on the right arm. The lad is receiving pasteur treatment in Pittsburgh.

## BAZAAR TO MOVE

Proprietor Serves Notice on Tenants of New Home to Vacate.

J. Kinabursky, proprietor of the Bazaar department store, has served notice on Max Levine and A. M. Plicks, tenants of the former Cotton building, now owned by Mr. Kinabursky, to vacate February 28. The Bazaar will occupy the building April 1.

The building now occupied by the Bazaar is the property of a man named Mervin of Homestead.

Notice to Courier Man.

Among the executive men who have received their Victory Medals is Ralph P. Sliger, linotype operator in The Courier office, who as a member of Company H, 319th Infantry, 80th Division, served in the Meuse-Argonne, St. Mihiel and other offensive operations in which this unit took a conspicuous part.

Advertisements in The Weekly Courier.

## FIREBUG DRIVEN OFF BY GUARD AT BELLE VERNON

Attempt to Burn School Building Thursday Followed by Attack Friday.

## FIEND REPORTED CAUGHT

Denial Made of This, However; Low-her Ring, Believed Fled by Incendiaries, in Operation Against Heat Subsidies in Workings at Simpson.

Signs at the high school in Belle Vernon gave chase to an unknown man early Thursday morning after he had made an attempt to break a window in the school building. It is thought he may have been one of the firebugs which have started 13 fires in that region in the past few weeks, destroying a large number of school houses and also some private property.

The man was arrested at the school building when he hit the glass. The guard went to cut some other and when he returned the intruder had fled. He was chased for a short distance and then escaped.

The guard of the same school was fired at three times about 4 o'clock Friday morning. No attempt was made to burn the building however. All the schools remaining in the region have been placed under guard.

State inspectors declare they are getting the fires in the mines of the Lowber and Union-Connellsville coal companies under control. These fires are also believed to be incendiary.

The Fayette mine of the Lowber company, near Fayette City, was virtually placed in operation again today.

## NEGRO ROBBER IS SHOT IN BATTLE WITH THE POLICE

With Probable Fatal Wound Man Lies All Night in Room at Everson to Which He Had Traveled.

SCOTSDALE, Nov. 26.—A negro, whose first name is said to be "Sid," was arrested in Kiefertown, near Scottdale, last night in connection with the attempt to rob Brilliant's hardware store in South Broadway on Tuesday night. The negro, suffering from several wounds, is one of a trio of robbers who engaged in a gun battle with Patrolman Austin Hyde and Frank Kelly, a citizen. Edward Miller of Connellsville was captured when he covered him with a gun. The third man is still at large.

Patrolman Ganev stumbled onto the negro while in Kiefertown looking for another person. He found him in a room over a pool parlor while making a search of the place. The man had his right arm broken by a bullet, another went through the fleshy part of the hip and came out through the stomach, with a third still lodged in his body.

The negro was given medical attention at the Scottdale police. The physician expressed doubt as to his chances for recovery.

The negro said he had lain in a stable just outside of Everson all night following the shooting. The policeman, he said, had run past him as he lay on the ground, where he fell after being struck by a bullet. He crawled across the street and made his way over the Everson street bridge on his hands and knees. He was unable to walk from Kiefertown to Scottdale with Patrolman Ganev, however.

The negro said the third member of the gang, who has not yet been captured, had been struck in the knee by a bullet.

## SECOND LONG TOUR BY BISHOP PARTY BEGAN YESTERDAY

Will Make Florida Round Objective With Stop in North Carolina; to Return Next May.

William C. Bishop, accompanied by his aunt, Mrs. Catherine S. Bishop and niece Virginia Bishop, who some months ago completed an 8,500 mile automobile tour to the Pacific coast and return, left Thursday afternoon for a second long journey which is to cover the South Atlantic states.

Accompanied by Mrs. George Stillwell of Carmichael, Greene county, the party left at 4 o'clock with Cumberland as the first stopping place on their trip which will be by way of Washington City, Richmond and other points to South Carolina. Here they will stop for a week or 10 days with friends, who are located on a 16,000 acre timber reserve. "Billy" will improve the time to test his skill as a hunter, planning thereby to provision the company for the rest of the journey which will terminate at Miami, Fla.

The entire winter will be spent in touring the South, particularly the resorts of Florida. The party will not return to Connellsville before next May.

Spring Turned Into Sower.

A controversy between C. W. Rush and city council over the drainage from a spring on Mr. Rush's property in French avenue, occupied by J. N. Schlicht, has been ended by the construction by Mr. Rush of a sewer connecting with the Coal alley line.

## EDDIE O'DONNELL, MOTOR RACER, DIES FOLLOWING CRASH

His Death Brings Total in Los Angeles Accident Three, Others Being Chevrolet and Jolls.

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 26.—Eddie O'Donnell, automobile racing driver, injured at the Los Angeles speedway yesterday, died early today. O'Donnell's automobile crashed into the one driven by Gaston Chevrolet, national champion automobile driver for 1920, who was killed, as was Lyall Jolls, mechanic for O'Donnell. John Bresnahan, Chevrolet's mechanic, escaped with slight injuries.

The body of Gaston Chevrolet, who died in the crash in which O'Donnell was injured, will be taken to Indianapolis for burial. Mrs. Chevrolet will leave Sunday with her husband's body, according to present arrangements. The funeral plans for Lyall Jolls, the mechanic with O'Donnell had been made early today. Jolls was engaged to marry Mrs. May A. Eber of St. Paul who witnessed the accident. His home was in St. Paul where he left relatives. Mrs. Eber was prostrated.

SPEEDWAY, Los Angeles, Nov. 26.—Gaston Chevrolet, famous racing driver, and Lyall Jolls, mechanic for Eddie O'Donnell, were killed Tuesday when Chevrolet's and O'Donnell's machines crashed on the Los Angeles speedway at the east end of the grandstand near the close of the 250-mile race.

O'Donnell was seriously injured that it was at first reported he was killed. His skull was fractured and both arms broken.

Chevrolet, it developed, had won the national championship for 1920 on a point basis, Revere Scales, winner of Wednesday's race, being far behind. The accident occurred while Chevrolet, O'Donnell and Joe Thomas were fighting to make up the half-dozen laps they were behind the leaders on the 15th lap. The three cars were bunched on the east turn.

## LIVED TOGETHER ONE LONE MONTH, WIFE TELLS MASTER

Husband of Uniontown Woman "Put Her in Room and Let Her Stay There," She Tells.

Anna E. Brennan of Uniontown was granted a divorce in divorce Tuesday morning from Harry T. Brennan, whose present address is unknown. Mrs. Brennan told the master in divorce that they had lived together for one month and that she was compelled to leave her husband as he had merely put her in a room and let her stay there without making any provisions for her support.

They were married on July 5, 1917. Mrs. Brennan told the master that she was an absolute divorce from Lloyd J. Moore of Greensburg township, on the grounds of cruel and barbarous treatment. They were married April 5, 1911.

Mrs. Nettie Redman of Uniontown was granted a divorce from Cecil Redman on the grounds of desertion. They were married November 17, 1910.

P. H. Moore of Brownsville, was granted a divorce from Mrs. Beattie Moore on the grounds of desertion. They were married in Pittsburgh.

Sarah B. Monroe of Brownsville filed a libel in divorce against William E. Monroe of Harrisburg. Cruel and barbarous treatment is alleged. They were married February 18, 1917 at McConeville.

Margaret Murphy of Gates filed a libel in divorce against Patrick Murphy of the same place, charging desertion. They were married February 5, 1919, at High House.

## URSINA BOY DIES FROM BULLET WOUND DUE TO ACCIDENT

Walter Alcott Is Climbing Over Fence With Gun When It Is Discharged, Missile Striking Groin.

Climbing over a fence near his home at Ursina Friday, dragging a gun after him, Walter Alcott, 13 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Alcott, was fatally wounded, dying a few hours later from loss of blood at the Frantz hospital at Conduentia. The bullet struck him in the groin, seriously wounding the artery, according to information from a friend of the family here. Walter was out with a number of boy companions at the time of the accident.

Besides his parents the boy is survived by a brother, George, 16 years old, and a baby brother.

Funeral services will be conducted Sunday at the home.

## CHILD HAS HARD FALL

Mildred Cunningham, West Side, Breaks Out Teeth, Is Severely Cut.

While at play in Ninth street, West Side, Friday afternoon Mildred Cunningham, 10 years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Cunningham, tripped over a wire, fell and knocked out two teeth and suffered severe lacerations across the nose and the upper lip.

## AUTOMOBILE WRECKED

Somerset Confirms Hurt in Accident Near Uniontown.

Smashing into a telephone pole on the main highway just above Thompson's crossing, near Uniontown, a motor car, driven and occupied by Glass Werner, his wife, Mrs. Mary Werner, and William Kender, all of Somerset county, was practically reduced to fragments early Thursday morning.

Werner suffered ugly bruises of the face, head and arm. His wife was injured about the face and arms. Kender escaped injury.

Have You Coal Laid for Sale? If so, advertisement in The Weekly Courier.

## WILLIAM WALLACE, SWAUGERTOWN MAN, SUICIDES IN JAIL

Use Made of Chain Supporting Cot in Cell For Noose.

## MIND HAD BEEN DERANGED

Former Davidson, Miner Had Been Acting Strangely for Long Time and Became Violent This Week; Was to Have Been Taken to Hospital Soon.

Making use of the chain supporting his cot in a cell at the county jail in Uniontown for a noose, William Wallace of Swaugertown, who was arrested twice in the past week by the Connellsville police for wandering about the streets in his under garments, hanged himself last Saturday. Indication that the strangulation process as too slow was found in a severe wound on the right side of his head where he had bumped it against the iron grating. He was warm when fellow prisoners discovered him but efforts at resuscitation were futile.

Wallace was 33 years old. He had been committed to jail on Wednesday by Alderman Fred Munk on a charge of assault on the peace and for examination into his mental state. The day before he had driven the members of his family from their home with a gun it was said. He was to have been taken to the hospital for the insane at Somerset on Monday.

Taking advantage of the noise made while the jail was being scrubbed Wallace detached the end of the cot chain and fastened it about his neck and set down.

## FATHER AND SON DAY OBSERVED AT VANDERBILT CHURCH

Rev. R. W. Hutchinson and Dr. G. W. Gallagher of Connellsville Are Speakers at M. E. Gathering.

Father and Son Day was observed in the Methodist Episcopal church at Vanderbilt Friday with a banquet, followed by addresses by Rev. Dr. Bennett W. Hutchinson, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church of Connellsville and Dr. G. W. Gallagher of this place. Eighty persons sat down to the feast prepared by ladies of the church headed by Mrs. Paul Teichert and Mrs. J. W. Green.

Rev. Charles H. Powers, pastor of the church, was toastmaster. W. A. Cosgrove introduced him. After singing by a male quartet composed of H. D. Shallenberger, Rev. Powers, William Gray and William Handlin.

Rev. Dr. Hutchinson spoke on "The 20th Century Man and Boy," a practical helpful talk. A number by the quartet came next and then Dr. Gallagher spoke on "The Relation of Father to Son."

Short talks were also made by J. B. Henderson, J. W. Knight, Thomas Lynn, L. L. Schell, J. L. McLaughlin and others. During the banquet and orchestra in charge of John Wilson played.

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## WEST PENN SUED

Poor Directors of Westmoreland Ask Damages For Defaced Property.

GREENSBURG, Nov. 21.—John M. Bash, L. N. Dixon and Edward Klingensmith, Westmoreland county poor directors, Friday filed a suit against the West Penn Street Railways company for \$10,000.

Recently the statement of fact set forth the railway company, whose lines run along the county farm graded back a distance of four feet or more along the lawn for a distance of 517 feet. The complaint sets forth that the county home management had maintained a lawn with fine shade trees some of which were very much damaged by this grading. Furthermore the grading has left a steep perpendicular wall along the grounds which spoils the scenery.

## ELKS SECURE SPEAKER

Attorney Edward O. Tabor, Uniontown, Orator at Lodge of Scotov.

The program for the annual memorial services of the Elks, to be held here by the Connellsville Lodge No. 235, on Sunday, December 5, are now completed. As usual, the services will be in the Soloson theatre.

Edward O. Tabor, a Uniontown attorney, will sing and a soloist from Pittsburgh will also be present.

The Elks will meet at the home in East Crawford avenue about 2:15 o'clock and march to the theatre, the services beginning at 2:30 o'clock.

## NEW POOR DIRECTOR

Springfield Township Man Succeeds Late Andrew Glover.

Frank Costello of Springfield township was named poor director of Fayette county to succeed the late Andrew Glover.

## CHORUS COMPLETED

"Legion Follies" Cast Not to Be Increased, But Thoroughly Drilled.

The chorus cast for the "Legion Follies," to be produced by The American Legion during the first week of January, has been chosen. No additions will now be made, but the attendance of every member is expected at the rehearsals held on Monday evening of each week in the Maccafee hall.

The progress thus made has been very satisfactory, but it is the intention of Director John R. Brown, that no pains will be spared to make each performer perfect in the part he or she is to take in the production.

## BROTHERS-IN-LAW KILLED UNDER FALL IN FOOTDALE MINE

Walter R. Collins and John P. Silman, With Kin and Friends Here, Were Ready to Quit For Day.

Walter R. Collins, 35 years old, and John Peter Silman, 25 years old, brothers-in-law, and well-known in Connellsville and vicinity met death last Tuesday afternoon in the mines at Footdale, when they were crushed beneath a fall of slate. Mr. Collins died instantly and Mr. Silman succumbed while being taken to the Uniontown hospital. Both men had gone to work in the early morning and were about ready to quit work for the day when the fall came.

Mr. Collins was a son of Bernard and Mary Collins and was born at Lockport. He formerly attended the McClellandtown high school and was a member of the Catholic church at New Salem. He is survived by his parents, five brothers, William, Patrick, John, Thomas and Vincent, and five sisters, Mrs. J. E. Burns, Leisenring No. 1, Mrs. John Peter Silman, Mrs. Louis Farmer and Mrs. Patrick Ford.

Mr. Silman was a brother-in-law of Mrs. Hay and Mrs. Burns. He was born at Revere, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Silman, and was a southerner, having been born in Virginia. He is survived by his widow and three children, Marcelle, Emagline and John Peter. He attended the New Salem Christian church.

## MORE FIRES NEAR FAYETTE CITY; LOSS TODAY IS \$130,000

Gibson School, Valued at \$80,000 Goes Up in Flames.

Two more fires in the Fayette City district about 5 o'clock Monday morning resulted in a total loss of \$130,000. The total number of fires in that district in the past two weeks now stands at 14 with a total property loss of \$300,000.

The fires of Monday burned the Gibson school at Fayette City and a barn belonging to Clyde Martin, a farmer about three miles from that place. An attempt was also made to burn the Rostraver school.

The Gibson school was valued at \$80,000. The fire completely destroyed the structure.

At the Rostraver school the attempt to fire it was made by three masked men. The watchman at the school fired on them and frightened them away.

Clyde Martin suffered a heavy loss in the burning of his barn. Stock, grain and implements were all lost, nothing in the structure being saved. The entire grain crop was consumed together with 15 cattle valued at \$30,000; eight horses and one short horn bull, all valued at \$1,000 each.

With the continuance of the epidemic of incendiary fires local authorities have appealed to state and county authorities to take a hand in the matter and assist in an endeavor to apprehend the culprits.

## PUT ONE OVER

"Bobbie, what are you laughing at?"

"Teacher licked me today 'cause I whispered, but she didn't see me throw a spitball!"

## FOOTBALL CASUALTIES FOR 1920 HEAVIEST AMONG HIGH SCHOOLS

Tell For Season Ending Thanksgiving 11, According to Figures Compiled by Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Nov. 27.—Football exacted a toll of 11 victims during the 1920 season, which closed with Thanksgiving Day games, according to reports of the Associated Press today.

The number of deaths was greater than in 1919 and one above the list of two years ago. There were 12 lives lost during 1917, 18 in 1916 and 15 in 1915.

The majority killed this season were high school players.

## SCOUT TROOP ELECTS

Officers of Troop No. 5 Chosen at Last Night's Meeting.

At a meeting of Troop No. 5, Boy Scouts, last night, officers for the next year were elected.

Clyde Burkett was made patrol leader of Patrol No. 1, with Walter Cunningham as assistant patrol leader; Donald Yoder and John Brown are leader and assistant leader of Patrol No. 2; Carl Fisher and John Robinson are the leader and assistant of Patrol No. 3; Ralph Butternore and Thomas Howard head Patrol No. 4.

Edward Clarke was made senior patrol leader and Clarence Yaw was elected to the office of scribe. Walter Cunningham is assistant scribe.



## GOOD ADVICE FOR TEACHERS ALONG NUMBER OF LINES

Too Much Inclined to Lack  
Pride in Profession, In-  
structor Tells Them.

## WHERE GERMANY ERRED

Teachers and others in attendance at the joint institute of the Connellsville and Dunbar township schools Friday afternoon heard some splendid talks. Three addresses were made, one by Superintendent Robert C. Shaw, of the Westmoreland county schools, and other by Dr. J. Linwood Eisenberg, of the Slippery Rock Normal, and a third by Dr. William D. Henderson, head of the extension department of the University of Michigan.

Superintendent Shaw spoke on "Pennsylvania's Outlook Educationally." He read a list of the names of men who head each state department of the newly organized board. Following this reading he reviewed the entire organization and said something about the purpose of each.

Dr. Eisenberg chose as his subject "The Growth of the Teacher." He said there was a great danger of teachers becoming satisfied with themselves and that it was of exceedingly great importance that "we grow and adjust ourselves to new problems about us."

"That is what every other agency in society does," declared the speaker, "except the church. I don't want you to misunderstand me. I am for the church, but teachers and preachers seem to have too much conservatism. They look backward rather than forward."

The speaker outlined three ways in which teachers must grow to become efficient individuals. As he disclosed them, they were academically, professionally and socially.

Dwelling on the growth of a teacher, academically, he said each one should study closely the subject matter of every one teaches. He suggested the lesson plan for every day as the best thing a teacher could do. "You need to grow also in related field of knowledge," he said, "not only in the branches you are teaching."

He suggested that each year every teacher undertake to conquer some new field of knowledge. "Academically," he said, "we must remember how it feels to be a student."

"Place yourself in the place of the student and then you will keep in sympathy," he said.

To grow professionally Dr. Eisenberg said it would first be necessary for a teacher to realize he or she had a profession. To advance professionally it is necessary to have a knowledge of construction," he added. "Also it will be necessary to grow in a knowledge of the new and up-to-date rules in education."

To grow socially, the speaker declared, "teachers must mingle with the men and women of the community. You teachers are too backward. You are too much inclined to say 'I'm only a school teacher. You must straighten up your shoulders and throw back your head and declare your profession with pride. You must mingle with those leading in the commercial and business world.'"

In closing he told the teachers to grasp every educational opportunity; to set a standard of improvement each year and then to live up to that standard.

Dr. Henderson's address was along a different line. He spoke on "The Rediscovery of America," and dealt much with conditions in Europe and America before the war. He brought out the European opinion of America before August 1, 1914, and painted a vivid picture of the awakening or "rediscovery" of America.

Dr. Henderson and his family were in Paris on August 1, 1914, and as he said, "The day Kaiser Bill started for Paris, William Henderson started for the United States."

His address was exceedingly interesting. A rapid speaker, Dr. Henderson held the closest attention of his audience. He told how Germans had ended the idea of America, even entering the war and then lauded the youth of this country for the noble way in which they responded to the call and worked the charm of the wonderful "rediscovery" of this great nation.

"Germans had held the idea that boys taught by women couldn't be fighters; that instead they were mamma boys," said the educator. "I stand when these mamma boys went over the top they showed the enemy they could fight like men and act like gentlemen."

He said from his observation while abroad that he believed the English language would become the universal commercial language. It was spoken in France, Belgium and Germany, he said, in most of the business places.

Referring again to the great awakening of America he declared this nation had been able to accomplish what it did because its sons were the descendants of hardy pioneers—men with energetic bodies and minds. Also because of the schools of America, in the German mind, he declared, the school system of America was all wrong. That nation never believed patriotism could be taught by marching students past a flag and having them salute it. Sterner methods were the German idea.

"I know better," was Dr. Henderson's statement. "Every game of football, baseball or basketball trains a boy to use the head on his shoulders."

Another German idea was that America was like a large segment map, all right as long as it lay on the floor, but which would fall to pieces when picked up, Dr. Henderson stated. "They believed some many million Italians, so many million Germans, so many million English and other millions of French would pull different directions and break up this country if it even endeavored to enter this war."

Miss Clara Goode gave two vocal solos and Carl Anstine, instructor of music at the high school, rendered a piano solo.

The Saturday session of the second day of the institute opened with the singing of "America" by the assemblage and devotional exercises conducted by Rev. William H. Hendrick. Two vocal solos were given by Miss Clara Goode. A piano solo was given by Carl Anstine.

Superintendent Shaw spoke on "The Purpose of Our School," followed by Dr. Henderson on "The Memory and How to Improve It."

Following the public exercises departmental conferences took place. High school teachers heard Dr. Henderson speak on "The Adolescent," intermediate and grammar school teachers met with Superintendent Shaw who spoke on "Reading;" and Miss Mary C. Murphy, supervisor of the Upper Yoder township schools, Cambria county, met with the teachers of the primary grades, her subject being "Language Training in the Primary Schools."

The afternoon session marked the close of the two day event. The additional three days will be held in February.

## GARAGE CAUSES ARRESTS

Scottsdale Patrolman Responsible for  
Seizure of Whisky.

Frank Garco, member of the Scottsdale police force and not the state police, were responsible for the arrest last Wednesday morning between Scottsdale and Greensburg of men with three truckloads of whisky from the Overholt distillery at Broad Ford on alleged fraudulent orders. All of whom were held for court Saturday in Pittsburgh.

Garco saw the trucks passing through Scottsdale at 3 o'clock in the morning and became suspicious. He notified the state police at Greensburg and then commandeered an automobile and overtook the trucks, driving on to Greensburg and returning with the state officers. The men involved were from the Pittsburgh region.

## SEN. CROW'S SON HURT

Student at P. M. C. Has Three Ribs  
Broken at Football.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 29.—Jack Crow, son of Senator William E. Crow, chairman of the Republican state committee, had three of his ribs broken in the Thanksgiving Day football game between Pennsylvania Military college and Delaware college.

Mr. Crow is a student at the Pennsylvania Military college. He is in the college hospital.

About 10 days ago Mr. Crow suffered a broken nose in a training game, but he refused to permit this injury to keep him out of his position at halfback in the last game of the season, particularly as his father and mother were spectators. Senator Crow passed yesterday afternoon with his son.

## NEW GAS WELL

Payette County Company Has Flow of  
1,500,000 Feet Near Youngwood.

The Payette County Gas company drilled in a new well Saturday evening between Youngwood and Arona which is estimated to be flowing at the rate of a million and a quarter cubic feet a day. The drill was stopped temporarily when the Murrayville sand was penetrated. It may be that the company will go on to the Speculator sand.

The first well in this field which was reported as flowing 5,000,000 feet has decreased materially. It is understood.

## Collision on Race Street

An automobile and street car collided at the corner of Patterson avenue and Race street Saturday afternoon. The front wheels of the automobile were broken. No one was hurt.

## MEMORIAL FOR JUNIORS

Rev. J. S. Showers Speaker at Service  
Sunday at Moyer.

Rev. J. S. Showers, pastor of the United Brethren church of Connellsville, was the speaker at the memorial services of the Junior Council of the United Order of United American Mechanics held yesterday afternoon at the Johnston school house. His subject was "Thanksgiving."

The school house was filled for the occasion, there being members of the order from other places and members of families of the Juniors.

## The Grim Reaper

ARTHUR WYATT.

Following a week's illness of pneumonia, Arthur Wyatt, an H. C. Frick pensioner, and one of the oldest residents of Dry Hill, died Monday morning. He was born in West Virginia and would have been 71 years old in January. Mr. Wyatt had been a resident of Broad Ford since 1872 and for many years was employed at the Henry Clay and Rist mines of the H. C. Frick Coke company. For about six years he had operated a team and for a bout a year had lived retired. He was one of the oldest members and most active workers of the Hickory Square Methodist Protestant church. In addition to his widow five children, R. P. Wyatt, E. F. Wyatt, and D. E. Wyatt, Brownsville; Mrs. W. H. Lane, Broad Ford; and Charles W. Wyatt, at home, and two sisters, Mrs. Elizabeth Shaffer, Toledo, O., and Mrs. M. Beatty, Uniontown, survive. He was one of the most widely known and highly respected residents of the community in which he resided and also had a number of friends in Connellsville.

SAMUEL L. COHEN.

Samuel L. Cohen of Uniontown, a veteran of the World War, died Saturday evening at Johns Hopkins hospital, Baltimore, Md., from diseases contracted while serving overseas. The deceased was born at Scottsdale May 30, 1856, a son of David and Anne Cohen. He attended the Union-

## Coal Freight Rates

EFFECTIVE AUGUST 20, 1920.

TO EASTERN PORTS.	Connellsville	Westmoreland	Latrobe
Baltimore, Md. (Track Deliv.)	\$3.58	\$3.42	\$3.28
Chester, Pa. (P. & R.)	3.53	3.42	3.28
Chester, Pa. (A. & R.)	3.72	3.57	3.42
Harrisburg, Pa. (P. & R. & R.)	3.62	3.47	3.32
Johnstown, Pa. (B. & O.)	3.54	3.44	3.30
Johnstown, Pa. (P. & R.)	3.52	3.42	3.28
Lebanon, Pa. (P. & R. & R.)	3.54	3.44	3.30
New York, N. Y. (37th St.)	3.55	3.45	3.31
New York, N. Y. (Bklyn.)	4.00	3.85	3.70
Philadelphia	3.53	3.43	3.29
Sperry Point	3.53	3.43	3.29
Stanton, Pa.	3.52	3.42	3.28
Stanton, Pa.	3.52	3.42	3.28
South Bethlehem, Pa.	3.72	3.57	3.42
Syracuse, N. Y.	3.72	3.57	3.42
TO ATLANTIC PORTS via B. & O.			
Greenwich, local	3.31	3.19	3.03
Greenwich, export	3.00	2.85	2.70
South Amboy, P. O. B. vessels	3.45	3.31	3.15
Marine Cove	3.56	3.41	3.25
Greenville	3.60	3.41	3.25
Camden, N. J.	3.53	3.38	3.23
Camden, N. J. export	3.53	3.38	3.23
TO ATLANTIC PORTS via B. & O.			
St. George Coal Piers	3.96	3.71	3.55
St. George for Export	3.35	3.20	3.05
Philadelphia Coal Piers	3.38	3.13	2.98
Philadelphia for Export	3.00	2.85	2.70
Curtis Bay Piers	3.31	3.00	2.85
Curtis Bay for Export	3.31	3.00	2.85

"The rate from points on the Monongahela Railway in the Fairmont group south of the Pennsylvania state line to Johnstown is 11.48 per net ton. Rates to Johnstown from Greensburg and Latrobe groups apply specifically from point of origin to destination.

The Connellsville Rate applies to shipments from points on the Southwest Branch of the Pennsylvania railroad south of Rutledge; from points on the Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston and points on the Monongahela River railroad.

The Fairmont Rate on shipments via the Baltimore & Ohio applies to shipments from points east of Sutersville, Pa.; from points on the Southfield & Masontown Branch and from the Fairmont division of West Virginia.

## TO WESTERN PORTS.

Pittsburgh	Upper	Lower
Group	Civil	Civil
(1)	(2)	(3)
Rate per Net Ton of 2,000 lbs.		
Canton, O.	\$1.77 1/2	\$1.83 1/2
Chicago, Ill.	1.41	1.43
Cleveland, O.	2.05 1/2	2.08 1/2
Columbus, O.	2.10	2.14 1/2
Detroit, Mich.	2.87	2.87
Indiana Harbor, Ind.	2.44	2.43
Toledo, O.	2.66	2.65
Youngstown, O.	1.30	1.33
Lake Ports	1.36	1.33
TO CANADIAN PORTS:		
Port Maitland, Ont.	2.51	2.54
Buffalo, N. Y.	2.61	2.65

These rates apply in a general way to shipments from the territory described. There are, however, numerous extensions to the specific rates quoted and in each case before applying the rate as a basis for freight charges the shipper or consignee should determine the exact location of the mine from which the business will move, the rate in question and the rate in question.

The Pittsburgh District includes points east as far as Latrobe and south on the Southwest Branch to and including Rutledge; south to, but not including, Brownsville on the Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston railroad; eastward to Dawson on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, and eastward to Dickerson Run and southward to and including Brownsville on the New York Central line.

The Connellsville District includes points on the Southwest Branch of the Pennsylvania railroad south of Rutledge; on the Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston except Brownsville and all Monongahela River railroad points; New York Central points east of Dickerson Run, including Connellsville Transfer, and points on the Baltimore & Ohio, Dawson to Point Marion, Pa.

town public schools, graduating from the high school in 1915. His ability as a student won for him the Carnegie cash scholarship for the year of his graduation and the following fall he entered Tech where he led his class for three and one-half years until called for the service. Enlisting for service he was assigned to Company H, 112th Infantry, 28th Division, stationed at Camp Hancock, Atlanta, Ga., sailing with that unit for France on May 2, 1918. Going through the Chateau-Thierry drive, he battled on the Aisne-Marne front and engaged in the attack on Fumes and Fismette, meeting the Germans in a hand-to-hand struggle. Mr. Cohen came through all the engagements without being wounded, but was slightly gassed. Following his discharge he was taken ill and went to the Adirondack mountains, hoping to regain his health. Returning home his condition grew worse and he was removed to a sanatorium at Rochester, Minn. Later he was transferred to the Johns Hopkins hospital. His parents, one sister, Sayde, and one brother, Harry, survive.

EDWARD D. KUHN.

Edward D. Kuhn, 35 years old, son of W. B. and Minerva Kuhn of Indian Head, died Sunday morning at 7 o'clock at the Memorial hospital at Mount Pleasant following an operation for acute appendicitis on November 18. He was getting along nicely until pneumonia developed on Tuesday morning.

Mr. Kuhn had resided at Indian Head all his life. In 1912 he married Miss Lulu Dumbauld. The widow and two children, Robert, six years old, and Isabelle, three, survive. He is survived by his parents and the following brothers and sisters: Floyd Kuhn, Allison; Mrs. E. C. Henry, East Connellsville; and Miss Stella, at home.

ARMSTRONG HADEN.

Armstrong Haden, a former resident of Uniontown, died Sunday in a Philadelphia hospital. Mr. Haden was engaged in business in Pittsburgh for a number of years. He resided in Philadelphia six years ago.

WILLIAM T. TISSUE.

William T. Tissue, a well-known resident of Uniontown, died Saturday following an illness of stomach trouble. He is survived by his widow and eight children.

JOSEPH J. HAYDEN.

Following an illness of complication of diseases, Joseph J. Hayden died Saturday morning at the home of his son, Roy Hayden, in Uniontown.

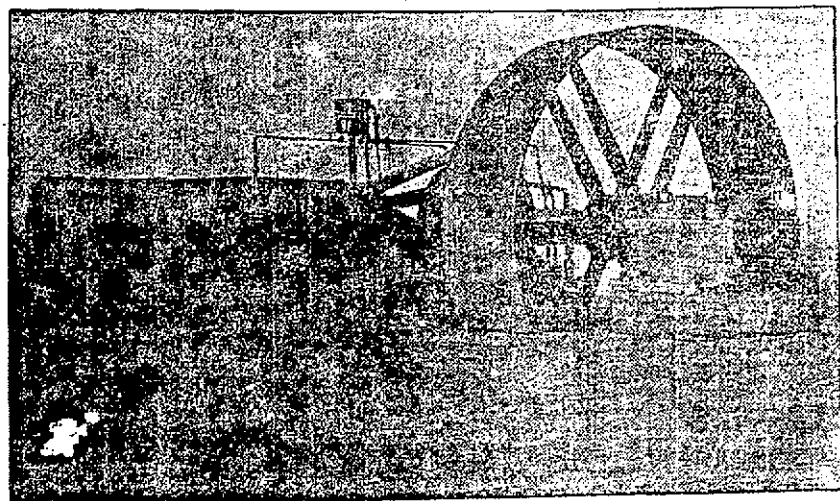
MRS. MARTHA E. RICHEY.

Mrs. Martha E. Richey, widow of F. M. Richey, better known as "Jud," died very suddenly Friday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Eliza Dawson, wife of J. W. Dawson, 2105 Wright way, South Side, Pittsburgh. Mrs. Richey, who lived for many years at Pennsville, had gone to Pittsburgh to make her home following the death of her husband about a year ago. She

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ette City, where she had been visiting for several weeks. Death was unexpected. On Saturday she did not partake of her breakfast, saying she had no appetite. A physician was summoned but she died a few hours after his arrival. The remains were brought here Tuesday and services conducted in the Methodist Episcopal church by Rev. M. R. Hackman, followed by interment in the I. O. O. F. cemetery, beside the grave of her husband, Jacob L. Shovalter, who died in September, 1899. Mrs. Shovalter was 85 years old and was a daughter of the late Adam and Catherine Stumm, and the last of that family. Several nephews and nieces survive, among them William Stumm of Connellsville and A. Y. Stumm and Mrs. Mary Miller of Smithfield.

MRS. GEORGE INGRAM.

Mrs. Margaret M. Ingram, 76 years old, wife of George Ingram, a veteran of the Civil War, died Tuesday afternoon at her home in 138 Freeman lane. The deceased was born in Sharpsburg, Ind. in 1844, and came to Connellsville from Atwater, O., 18 months ago. For many years she resided in Pittsburgh. Her husband and one grandson, Harry D. Mason, survive.

MRS. ISABEL C. BROWN.

Mrs. Isabel C. Brown, widow of William B. Brown, died Thursday afternoon at Uniontown. She was 77 years old.

MRS. HENRY DORAN.

Mrs. Henry Doran died last Wednesday at her home at Dawson. She is survived by her husband, three daughters, Mrs. Clarence King of Westmoreland county; Miss Charlotte Doran at home; Mrs. Richard Hiles of East Liberty; and one son, L. L. Doran of Connellsville. Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home.

NICK LEPRE.

Nick Lepre, five years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Lepre of house 39 at Bitter, died this morning of pneumonia. Funeral services will be held at St. Rita's Catholic church in the West Side tomorrow morning.

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